

## WEATHER.

Illinois—Fair slightly colder Monday; Tuesday fair.  
Kentucky—Fair Monday and Tuesday.  
Missouri—Fair Monday, warmer; Tuesday fair.

## SEEK TO OUST SULLIVAN MEN FROM PRIMARIES

Mandamus Proceedings Started Against Four Candidates for Committeemen

CHARGE NAMES ARE IRREGULAR

Hearst-Harrison Faction Anxious to Have Two Committeemen-at-Large

Springfield, Ill., March 17.—The insufficiency of the petitions of four Sullivan candidates for the Democratic nomination for state central committeemen filed with Secretary of State Rose was alleged in mandamus proceedings instituted in the Sangamon county circuit court here today in which the anti-Sullivan candidates of four districts seek to compel the secretary of state, before certifying the names of the candidates in question to be assured that their petitions are in conformity with the provisions of the primary election law. It is alleged the petitions of the four candidates mentioned are insufficient in that they have not the required number of names signed to their petitions and that in many cases the address of the signer is not given, as required by law.

The following are the four cases filed.

Z. A. Poindexter, Gladstone, fourteenth district, questions the sufficiency of the petition of John W. Williams, of Carthage.

A. W. Bastian, Fulton, Ill., thirteenth district, questions the sufficiency of the petition of C. J. Dittman, of Freeport.

Fred Leroy, twelfth district, questions the sufficiency of the petition of Dan Dinneen, of Ottawa.

Charles Burton, Edwardsville, twenty-second district, questions the sufficiency of the petition filed by Jerry J. Kane, of East St. Louis.

The anti-Sullivan Democratic candidates are represented in the court action by Attorney Francis E. Hinckley, of Chicago.

Attorney Hinckley tomorrow, so he stated tonight, will file a similar action to compel the secretary of state to certify the names of James S. McInerney and Frank Paschen, both of Chicago, who filed petitions as candidates for the Democratic nomination for state committee-at-large.

### TIME LIMIT EXPIRED.

Springfield, March 17.—Yesterday was the last day on which candidates who have filed nomination petitions with the secretary of state for offices to be voted upon at the primaries April 9, could withdraw and consequently a large number asked that their petitions be returned. The names of all candidates who have filed petitions and did not withdraw them before midnight tonight, will be certified by Secretary of State Rose to the various county clerks in the state, to be placed on the ballots at the primaries next month.

The following candidates withdrew today:

John M. Dodd, Marion, Republican, member board of equalization, twenty-fifth district.

Louis Hruska, Republican, Chicago, congress, fifth district.

Charles Rabbitt, Democrat, Amboy, state committeeman, thirteenth district.

Frank J. Walsh, Democrat, Chicago, state committeeman, third district.

Frank A. Swick, Republican, Chicago, member state board of equalization, fifth district.

Edward D. Cook, Democrat, Chicago, representative in general assembly, first district.

Charles A. Timmons, Democrat, Peoria, representative in general assembly, eighteenth district.

John Czokala, Democrat, Chicago, member state central committee, eighth district.

Charles Coia, Democrat, Chicago, representative in general assembly, seventeenth district.

Charles Luka, Democrat, Chicago, representative in general assembly, twenty-seventh district.

Nelson T. Morley, Prohibition,

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## COLONEL ROOSEVELT, IN DAILY ATTENDANCE AT COURT, READY TO SERVE AS A JUROR BUT DISMISSED



Mineola, N. Y., March 17.—Colonel Theodore Roosevelt was in daily attendance at the courthouse here, but was dismissed. As a former officer of the militia Colonel Roosevelt is legally exempt

from jury service, but he declined to take advantage of the exemption and announced that he would do his duty as a citizen. He came over from his home at Oyster Bay each morning in an automobile.

## OFFICERS THINK PEN-BREAKERS ARE IN LINCOLN

Gov. Aldrich Answers Charge as to Management of State Institution

Lincoln, Neb., March 17.—Persisting in the belief that the three Nebraska penitentiary convicts, who murdered Warden Delahunte and two assistants in a jail-break, Thursday are either in Lincoln or between this city and Omaha, officers today continued a stroll of the county and a search of possible hiding places. As a result of the day's work they had not secured a single definite clue as to the movements of the men after they were taken to Twentieth and R. streets in Lincoln, by a boy, who they had forced to aid them.

Officers believe the fugitives may have repeated their act of Thursday afternoon, when they held up the family of J. S. Dickman, a farmer near Lincoln and forced Mrs. Dickman to give them food and shelter, until late that night. The three men might have easily surprised an isolated household and forced its members to do their bidding, figured the officers, while they admit a let-up in the search for them in eastern Nebraska. Working on this theory officers are to be made to visit all farm houses between here and Platt river, 25 miles east. Buildings in Lincoln also are again to be searched.

Gov. Aldrich today issued a formal statement answering criticism of the penitentiary management. He suggests immediate changes, which will enable a more efficient management. Chief of these recommendations are those for an intermediate prison, for first offenders, and for radical measures to stop the smuggling into prison of drugs and weapons.

### REAR-ADMIRAL IS DEAD IN PHILADELPHIA

Philadelphia, March 16.—Rear-Admiral George W. Melville, U. S. A., retired, died at his home here today from paralysis. He was a national commander of the Loyal Legion, at the time of his death, and was a noted authority on Arctic explorations, as well as engineering and naval affairs. He was 72 years old.

## TARIFF WILL BE PARAMOUNT AT WASHINGTON

Senate Finance Committee to Report Adversely on Iron and Steel Bill

Washington, March 17.—Tariff revision will continue to occupy both houses of Congress, this week. When the House passes the excise income bill, on Tuesday, and submits a woolen schedule revision to the Democratic caucus the revision plan there will have been ended.

Democratic revision measures are piling up in the Senate. The finance committee's adverse report on the House iron and steel bill will be made this week. The finance committee will hear Chairman Emery of the Tariff Board, Tuesday, on the House chemical tariff bill's bearings, which probably will occupy the week. The hearings on the house free sugar bill will follow the chemical bill.

The Senate on March 25 will vote on the Stephenson election case. The Wisconsin senator has been exonerated of allegations of bribery and corruption, by one of the Senate election committees, and condemned by another.

On Saturday the special Senate committee, which investigated Lorimer's election, will vote on its report. There is no hope of unanimous action.

### FORMER CAIROITE MANAGER METROPOLIS ELECTRIC PLANT.

Perceval Richards, formerly the new business manager of the Cairo Electric and Traction Co., has been appointed manager of the Metropolitan Electric Light Co., and now occupies the position. Mrs. Richards is here visiting her parents.

### 200 INSURGENTS ARE EXECUTED AT CANTON.

Hongkong, China, March 17.—Two hundred insurgents were executed at Canton yesterday.

### Good Music at Church.

A musical program of unusual excellence was given by the choir at the Cairo Baptist church last night. Mrs. Glendora Morgan of Chicago, formerly Miss Barber and Mrs. A. F. Staehle sang a duet that was a feature of the program.

## ALLEN OUTLAWS DEFY CAPTURE IN MOUNTAINS

Unless Militia is Sent for Men May Be Unpunished for Crime

POSSE'S SEARCH IS FUTILE

Some Think it May be Necessary to Dynamite Citadels to Arrest Band

Hillsville, Va., March 17.—Two thousand feet above sea level, among the crags and caves of the Blue Ridge Mountains, the Allen gang, who demonstrated their contempt of constituted law, by a massacre of the judge, prosecutor and sheriff of the Carroll county court, last Thursday, continued today to defy capture. The day's search for a posse of 75 detectives and citizens demonstrated that unless the militia is sent here to begin a siege of the hiding places of the outlaws, they never may be brought to answer the indictment for murder returned here yesterday.

For such a plan a camping site was selected today by representatives of Gov. Mann. County authorities are working in harmony with the state and orders may be issued soon for companies of militia, if not for the search certainly for the formal arraignment of the prisoners, which is scheduled for March 26.

May Postpone Arraignment. The arraignment is likely to be postponed. With provisions and ammunition of which it is said they have plenty an attacking force would find the aim of the Allens deadly.

Some think it may be necessary to dynamite the mountain citadels. Quiet prevailed in Hillsville today.

Andrew Howlett and Stuart Worrell, both by-standers, wounded by Thursday's assassination, today rested easily. One has a bullet in the lung and the other was shot in the side. Juror Kane, who was shot in the abdomen, and is most seriously injured, may die, which will bring the death list to six.

### THREE PRISONERS ARE REMOVED AGAIN

Roanoke, Va., March 17.—Floyd Allen, his son, Victor, and Byrd Marion were brought here from Pulaski early this morning and put in jail. The authorities thought feeling against the courthouse assassins was running too high at Pulaski for their safety. Young Allen and Marion, both under indictment for murder, protested to their guards that they took no part in the shooting.

### RECONSIDERS DECISION TO ABDICATE THRONE

Tangier, Morocco, March 16.—It is announced that the Sultan Mulai Hafid, who has been suffering from a severe nervous affection, announced his intention to abdicate and leave the place. He was persuaded, however, to reconsider his decision.

### "OH CHEESE IT" HE CRIED, WHEN SHOT IN JAW

ONLY DAMAGE TO CHICAGOAN IS  
LOSS OF HEAVILY CROWN-  
ED TOOTH.

Chicago, March 17.—John Pendingski examined his revolver today and a cartridge exploded.

"Ouch," yelled John Russell, a friend clutching his mouth and jaw with his hand.

"Oh, John," started Pendingski, "this is awful. You know I didn't intend to shoot you."

"Oh, cheese it," replied Russell disgustedly. "Here's your bullet and there's that wisdom tooth that just cost me \$12 to have crowned. You are awfully careless, Pendingski."

The lost tooth was the only injury.

## FIRST WOMAN TO BE MADE FIRST CLASS DETECTIVE IN NEW YORK POLICE DEPARTMENT IS WIDOW OF OFFICER



New York, March 17.—Mrs. Isabella Goodwin, the first woman to be made a first class detective on the New York force, is the widow of a former policeman. She was made a police matron in 1896 and about a year ago was detailed to get evidence against fortune tellers. While doing this work she continued to draw the \$1,000 a year paid to police matrons. Then came the famous taxicab robbery in which a gang of crooks got \$25,000 from two bank messengers in a taxicab. It was a old and puzzling crime. Mrs. Goodwin was put to work on the case along with scores of men detectives. Mrs. Goodwin got a position as matron of all work in the house where two women friends of the robbers lived, and while scrubbing floors and doing other housework she kept her eyes open and gathered evidence of which half a dozen arrests were made. Because of her good work on this case Mrs. Goodwin was raised to the rank of first grade detective at \$2,250 a year. Several men who worked on the taxicab robbery case were promoted at the same time.

## FINANCIERS DO NOT APPROVE OF PREMIER'S PLAN

Anarchy and Famine Throughout China But Legations are Still Hopeful

Peking, China, March 16.—Premier Pang Shao Yi has left here for Nanking. The southern delegates, with whom he came to Peking, departed several days ago. Some of the foreign ministers, who have met Pang, consider him something of a visionary. The four powers group of financiers, though, perhaps with some bias, are of the opinion that his financial policy is dangerous and accuse him of trickiness in negotiating the present notes, the present loans with which he was entrusted.

Anarchy and famine prevails throughout the country. The legations do not fear any immediate or wide-spread risings, or anti-foreign attacks, but they do not believe that the country will be re-united, the army disbanded and re-organized, and progressive development accomplished without long and intense suffering and serious political struggles.

### PRESIDENT TAFT IN BOSTON TODAY

Boston, Mass., March 17.—President Taft will be Boston's guest tomorrow. Every detail of the program for his entertainment was completed, tonight. Besides reviewing the parade to celebrate the 126th anniversary of the evacuation of Boston by General Howe, and his British troops, a lengthy program has been arranged for the President. The President will leave early Tuesday for New Hampshire, where he will make several addresses, and return here Tuesday night, on his way back to Washington.

## STRANGER ACTS PECULIARLY AT ROSALSKY'S HOME

Rushes Past Attendants and is Later Taken to Asylum for Observation

New York, March 17.—The home of Judge Otto Rosalsky of the circuit court of criminal sessions, where a bomb exploded last night, was the scene of renewed excitement, today, caused by the appearance of a man, who wildly kicked at the door and demanded admittance.

The stranger was a shabbily dressed man, who forced his way past the hall attendants to the apartment building and climbed six flights of stairs to see Judge Rosalsky about some fancied grievance "of persecution by the tobacco trust." The police were called and the man was taken to Bellevue for observation as to his sanity. He gave his name as Wolf Berman and said he was a cigar maker.

Inspector Eagan, who was injured while examining the bomb, in the judge's library, insisted on leaving the hospital today although he suffered pains from a mangled hand and torn face. It was intimated that the detectives are working on important clues suggested by further talks with Judge Rosalsky.

### AMERICAN BATTALION QUARTERED IN BIG FRENCH WAREHOUSE.

Tien Tsin, China, March 17.—A battalion of the fifteenth infantry which left Manila March 9, arrived here this morning, having been detained outside Taku, since Friday owing to a storm. The battalion commanded by Lieut. Col. Root, is made up of 444 men, including a band. The Americans now are quartered in a large warehouse in the French concession.

## 500 KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS ARE IN CAIRO

Attend Initiation of 65 Candidates from Many Cities and States

CELEBRATE SAINT PATRICK'S

Team from Chicago do Work of Initiation.—Lynch at Fitzgeralds

Five hundred members of the Knights of Columbus were in Cairo yesterday to take part in celebrating St. Patrick's Day and in the initiation of a class of 65 candidates. It was estimated there were 350 visiting members here which with the 150 local members made up the biggest gathering of Knights that has ever been assembled in Cairo. The visitors came from Chicago, DuQuoin, Murphysboro, Shawneetown, Ridgeway, DuBoise, and Odlin, Ill., Cape Girardeau, Mo., Paducah and Fulton, Ky., and Jackson, Tenn. Among the prominent Knights in the order were Leroy Hackett, of Chicago, the state deputy, R. J. Hodge, of Murphysboro, district deputy, and District Deputy Meyers of Cape Girardeau.

The 500 Knights met at the K. of C. Hall yesterday morning and marched in a body to St. Patrick's church where they heard solemn high mass by Rev. Dr. Corrigan of St. Louis, celebrant, and special music by the choir.

In the afternoon and up to 9 o'clock last night the ceremony of initiation was conducted at the society's beautiful new hall by a special staff from Chicago, which it is said, is the best in the state. After the conclusion of the initiatory work the Knights were given a luncheon in which Caterer William E. Fitzgerald prepared at his excellent restaurant in the K. of C. building. The menu consisted of olives, celery, fresh radishes, green onions, turkey, ham, tongue and cheese sandwiches, coffee, green sherbet and K. of C. cake, which was of red, white and blue layers. Owing to the large number to be accommodated the tables were occupied twice. The service was excellent. It was not an easy task to prepare and serve a luncheon for 500 people in a short time, but the work was done with apparent ease.

The Knights of Columbus is a rapidly growing institution. It numbers in the state of Illinois over 30,000 members and in the United States over 200,000 members. Dr. John T. Walsh is the leading Knight of the local order.

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### MOTORCYCLE ACCIDENT MEN AND DOG INJURED.

A motorcycle, two men and a dog were in a bad mixup yesterday afternoon at 4 o'clock in which Mark Capoot was knocked off the wheel and severely bruised and a large dog the property of Walter Krebs had one of its legs broken. The accident happened on Washington avenue near Thirtieth street. Murry Steagala on his motorcycle with Capoot sitting behind were riding up the avenue at a lively speed when the dog ran out in front of the wheel which ran into the animal. The jolt threw Capoot almost over Steagala's head. He fell on the brick pavement on his head and shoulders. He was rendered unconscious by the shock. He was carried on the porch at B. McManus' residence where he was finally revived. Steagala was only slightly bruised by the fall. Capoot was taken to his home near the half way house. He is a son-in-law of Joseph Speth. The dog also received surgical attention as it is a valuable animal. Its leg was put in splints and will be saved.

### DE LA BARRA SAILS FOR HOME COUNTRY.

Paris, France, March 17.—Francisco De la Barra ex-provisional president of Mexico, sailed from here on the steamer Bismarck for Mexico.